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Amateur Radio Special Events & Information Guide

PUGET SOUND
(AND SURROUNDING AREA)

MIKE & KEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

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Preparing For Public Service Communications

1. Dress in layers of clothing, in case the weather changes.
2. Bring your medication, sunscreen, sunglasses, water bottle, etc.
3. Bring extra batteries for your radio.
4. Report your arrival in advance on the talk-in frequency, so you can be directed to convenient parking.
5. Bring a pen and small note pad to jot down information.
6. Speaker mikes and headsets are very helpful. Don't use vox, as it can pick up crowd noise and tie up the frequency.
7. If you have an extra radio, bring it along in case another volunteer has none.
8. You're part of a team, Net Control will answer your questions.
9. Have fun and feel good about helping your community.

The Amateur's Code

The Radio Amateur is:

CONSIDERATE...never knowingly operates in such a way as to lessen the pleasure of others.

LOYAL...offers loyalty, encouragement and support to other amateurs, local clubs, and the American Radio Relay League, through which Amateur Radio in the United States is represented nationally and internationally.

PROGRESSIVE...with knowledge abreast of science, a well-built and efficient station and operation above reproach.

FRIENDLY...slow and patient operating when requested; friendly advice and counsel to the beginner; kindly assistance, cooperation and consideration for the interests of others. These are the hallmarks of the amateur spirit.

BALANCED...radio is an avocation, never interfering with duties owed to family, job, school or community.

PATRIOTIC...station and skill always ready for service to country and community.

—The original Amateur's Code was written by Paul M. Segal, W9EEA, in 1928.

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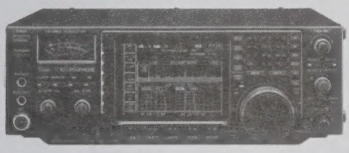

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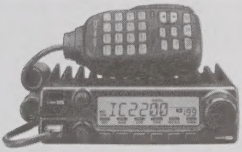

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NETS IN THE PUGET SOUND REGION

Day	Time	Freq	Rptr Call	Net	Region
Daily	1730	146.82	K7LED	PS Traffic System	Puget Sound
M - F	0545	145.33	K7NWS	NW Weather Net	Northwest
	1645	145.33	K7NWS	NW Weather Net	Northwest
SAT	0900	03.985	(HF)	ARES HF-Emergency Net	WA State
	0900	145.33	K7NWS	Swap Net	Northwest
	1000	146.96	W7VHY	Technical Info. Net	Seattle ACS
SUN	1900	28.330	(HF)	ACS	Kitsap Co.
	1900	145.39	W7ZA	Aux Emerg Comm (AEC)	Grays Harbor Co.
	1930	28.385		Vashon-Maury ARES	Vashon-Maury Island
	1930	145.43		ACS	Kitsap Co.
	1930	443.725	KJ7FD	ESCA RACES	Sno-King cities
	2000	28.350	(HF)	HF Net	Mason Co.
	2000	146.82	K7LED	ARES/RACES	King Co.
	2000	147.08		Amateur Television Soc.	Western WA
	2030	146.92	WB7VYA	ARES/RACES	Snohomish Co.
	2100	146.72		ARES	Mason Co.
	2200	145.33	K7NWS	NW Astronomy Net	Northwest
MON	1830	03.985	(HF)	WSEN - ARES	WA State
	1900	147.26	K7ZVV	C/W - ARES	Cowlitz/Wahkiakum
	1900	146.96	W7VHY	Seattle ACS	Seattle
	1930	146.96	W7VHY	PS Repeater Group	Club - Puget Sound
	1930	440.30		Shoreline ACS	City of Shoreline
	2000	145.33	K7NWS	YL Net (Ladies Only pls)	Club - Puget Sound
	2000	146.78	K7CHN	S-K Emergency Service	Sno-King
	2000	147.57	Simplex	S-C ARC - ARES	Stanwood-Camano
TUE	1830	145.15	W7JCR	JC ARC - ARES / RACES	Jefferson Co.
	1900	147.24	W7AIA	CC ARC - ARES	Clark Co.
	1900	147.36	NT7H	TC ARES / RACES	Thurston Co.
	1930	147.36	NT7H	OARS	City of Olympia
	2000	146.54	Simplex	MV ARC	Maple Valley
	2000	146.92	WB7VYA	SC - DEM / RACES	Snohomish Co.
	2100	3.975		REBELS ARC	Club - Puget Sound
	2130	145.47	K7CPR	REBELS ARC	Club - Puget Sound
WED	2000	145.19	Simplex	HamSams/GoodSamClub	Club - Puget Sound
	2000	145.33	K7NWS	General & Technical Info	Northwest
	2000	443.45	K7KFM	SJC - ARES	San Juan Co.
	2100	146.82	K7LED	NW S.O.A.R.	Club - Puget Sound
THU	1900	146.82	K7LED	M&K Public Service Net	Puget Sound
	1930	147.34		Emergency Services Net	Pacific Co.
	2000	147.08		Amateur Television Soc.	Western WA

DIRECTED NETS

A Directed Net is an on-the-air meeting that is under the control of a central station known as "Net Control". All forms of communication during a directed net must go through NET CONTROL. Please listen for accepted protocol before transmitting.

PUGET SOUND REPEATERS

Output	Input	Tone	Callsign	Location
52.95	51.25	100	W7FLY	Mukilteo - Cross linked with 443.925
53.15	51.45	100	K7CR	Tiger Mountain West
145.19	144.59	127.3	N7UQA	Lyman Hill (Skagit Co.)
145.33	144.73	179.9	K7NWS	Tiger Mtn. W. (BEARS)
145.35	144.75	103.5	W7ZLJ	Olalla (Gig Harbor)
145.37	144.77	136.5	WC7AAO	Grass Mtn. (Pierce Co.)
145.39	144.79	103.5	AB7V	Everett
145.47	144.87	100	K7CPR	Capitol Peak
146.62	146.02	103.5	WW7RA	Gold Mtn. (Kitsap Co.)
146.72	146.12	103.5	N7SK	Shelton
146.76	146.16	100	W7FEL	Striped Pk. (Pt. Angeles)
146.76	146.16	103.5	WA7FW	Federal Way ARC
146.78	146.18	103.5	K7CHN	Lynnwood
146.82	146.22	103.5	K7LED	Squak Mountain
146.88	146.28		K7PF	Green Mountain
146.9	146.3	103.5	WW7MST	Seattle - (Autopatch)
146.9	146.3	131.8	N7JN	San Juan Islands
146.92	146.32	123	WB7VYA	Mt. Pilchuck
146.96	146.36	103.5	W7VHY	Seattle
147	146.4	103.5	W7DX	Bellevue (WWDXC)
147.04	147.64	103.5	WA7FW	Federal Way
147.08	147.68	103.5	W7WWI	Cougar Mountain
147.16	147.76	88.5	W7ZA	Aberdeen
147.18	147.78	103.5	WA7LAW	Everett
147.2	147.8	123	K7PP	Gold Mtn. (Kitsap Co.)
147.28	147.88	103.5	W7DK	Tacoma
147.34	147.94		K6RFK	Woodinville
223.9	222.3		KA7AEF	Carnation
224.12	222.52	103.5	K7LED	Tiger Mountain
224.16	222.56		K6LIE	Martha Lake, Lynnwood (IRLP 3285)
224.5	222.9	103.5	N6OBY	Tiger Mtn. East
224.68	223.08		W7SRZ	Seattle
224.76	223.16	103.5	WB7DOB	Baldi Mountain
441.1	446.1	156.7	KC7IYE	Bellevue
442.65	447.65	103.5	WW7RA	Gold Mountain
442.95	447.95	103.5	WA7FW	Federal Way ARC
443.2	448.2	103.5	K7PAR	Redmond
443.45	448.45	103.5	N7JN	San Juan Islands
443.5	448.5	103.5	W7VMI	Vashon-Maury Island
443.55	448.55	103.5	W7SRZ	Seattle
443.925	448.925	100	W7FLY	Mukilteo - Cross linked with 52.95

Before you make your first repeater contact, you should learn some repeater operating techniques. It's worth a few minutes to listen and familiarize yourself with the procedures used by other hams in your area. Accepted procedures can vary slightly from repeater to repeater.

To find more repeaters in your area visit www.arrl.org

Note: The use of a repeater is a privilege extended by the owner, not a requirement. There are specific FCC rules and regulations with regard to the usage of repeaters, and of all ham radio conversations carried on the airwaves. Violation of these regulations can be severe when abused, and will be strictly enforced by the FCC with the support of all Ham Radio Clubs in the Puget Sound Region.

WHY BE A HAM RADIO OPERATOR?

With the Internet, wireless PDAs, cell phones, CB radio and Family Radio Service, what's the point of Amateur Radio?

Amateur Radio has always been on the cutting edge of technology. Today, we use Earth-Moon-Earth bounce, meteor scatter, amateur satellite, digital modes, digipeaters (automated repeaters), FM repeaters (thousands in the United States), Internet-linked repeaters, amateur TV and many other forms of communication. The possibilities are endless.

In public and emergency services, Amateur Radio has supplied the most reliable communications. During the hurricanes Katrina/Rita disasters, hundreds of Hams worked for many weeks because commercial communications were destroyed, overloaded or incompatible. During the Shuttle Columbia disaster, Hams were called out to search for debris. Using portable FM repeaters, Hams were the only reliable form of communication. Today, Ham Radio is more vital, exciting and needed than ever.

HOW YOU CAN BECOME A HAM RADIO OPERATOR

All hobbies involve learning new skills. To operate on the Amateur Radio bands, you must first master the basics, pass a test and receive a license from the Federal Communications Commission. The amateur community is very active in helping people become new Hams. Two- or three-day classes and testing sessions are available in most areas. There are also self-study books and online programs. Still think you can't do it? Well, a 7-year-old Oregon girl passed the test for the highest class license recently.

New this year, there is no longer a Morse code requirement for any license class. There are three levels of licenses with progressive privileges. The first level is Technician, which allows mostly local communications. If your interests take you further, you can earn a General or Extra class license for more priveleges and world-wide communications.

Your local Amateur Radio club will help you get into a study course and mentor you in your new hobby. This book has a list of Ham Radio clubs and examination locations. Our Web page (www.mikeandkey.org) and the ARRL Web page (www.arrl.org) give more information on classes, test locations and Ham Radio in general. Come enjoy the expanding world of Ham Radio. The sky is **NOT** the limit!

FIELD DAY

If you are new to ham radio, Field Day might not hold much meaning for you. However, to many the mere name starts seasoned Amateurs to thinking towards the annual gathering of hams to open a season of fun challenges, as well as polish up skills needed in the event of an emergency.

Hams and clubs accross the US and Canada approach this simulated emergency set up with all sorts of scenarios from a field of tents housing particular radio frequencies, to tarps over ropes, but all have the necessary wires and antenna arrays needed to make as many contacts as possible during the 24hr period. Of course, all of the necessities for sustenance are a must for a well-stocked station. There will probably even be sleeping bags and some sort of heat to make the long night of operation more tolerable.

For the non-ham friend or family member, this outing presents a time of fun, exploration of the surrounding areas, or just a great time to relax, reading, doing crafts, or sitting by a campfire.

We encourage the curious to come to Ft. Flagler State Park and experience the Mike & Key Club's Field Day operation. For the energetic, even come out on Friday to participate in setup and an evening potluck. For camping, RV's are most handy, but tents, canopies or station wagons will do fine. So be there Saturday morning when the fun begins with "K7LED is now ON THE AIR".

Field Day 2007 is June 23-24. Come out and join us!

2007 NORTHWEST

Date	Event and Location	Contact
Apr 14	Yakima, WA Selah Civic Center	Lindsay
May 12	Stanwood/Camano ARC	John
June 8-10	Wenatchee ARC Dryden, WA	Jim
Jun 9	Kootenai Co ARC Rathdrum, ID	Jim
June 1-3	SeaPac Seaside, OR for details see web site	Wayne
July 20-22	Glacier /WatertonThree Forks, MT	James
Jul 28	Centralia Chehalis, WA	John
Check Website	RC Tacoma check website for location	Frank
Sep 22	Radio Clubs of Spokane Area	Betsy
Oct 20	Swaptoberfest Rickreall, OR at Fairgrounds	
Oct 27	MBARC Lynden, WA	Al
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Mar 8	Mike and Key ARC Fleamarket	Mike
Feb 16	Salem Hamfest Rickreall, Or	Denis

AMATEUR

Date/Time	City	Contact	Phone
1st Thur 7:00 pm	Redmond	Brian	206-920-2899
2nd Tue 7:00 pm	Tacoma	John	253-475-5854
2nd Sat 10:00 am	Shelton	Dave	360-275-9893
3rd Mon 7:00 pm odd months	Stanwood/Camano	John	360-387-9114
3rd Sat 9:30 am Jan May Sept	Aberdeen	Joe	360-268-9402
3rd Sat 10:00 am even months	Bellingham/Ferndale	Robbie	360-734-6870
3rd Sat 12:30 pm	Renton	Scott	425-788-0452
4th Wed 6:30 pm exc Nov Dec	Everett	Dwayne	360-387-5805
4th Sat 9:30 am exc Dec	Snohomish ARC	Loren	425-335-5158
Call for Date/Time/Location	Olympia	Lee	360-866-0236
Call or e-mail for info	Seattle	Mary	206-523-9117

HAMFESTS

Callsign	Phone	E-mail
N7RHW		N7RHW@arrl.net
	360-629-2921	
	509-782-1655	Savage04@msn.com
N7ESU	208-755-2100	
AI9Q	360-892-5580	ai9q@arrl.net
N7YO		n7yo@mpiwifi.com
K7OSK	360-791-7934	k7osk@boatanchor.com
AC7JY	253-539-7772	AC7JY@msn.com
N7WRQ	509-448-5821	N7WRQ@aol.com
K7IEY	360-354-4622	K7IEY@netscape.net
N7WA	253-631-3756	mwdink@eskimo.com
WC7M	503-506-6523	wc7m@arrl.net

RADIO EXAMS

Call	Exam Location	E-mail
K7QF	Redmond Operations Center Call first	brianwood@verizon.net
AC7WW	1249 S Washington St Tacoma	ac7ww@arrl.net
N7HT	MC DEM Office 410 W Bus Park Rd Shelton	dbbrooks@hotmail.com
WX7J	Stanwood PUD Bldg 9124 - 271st St NW	jisakson@verizon.net
KA7AIR	Montesano High School	jcl@ghi.net
W5NYT	Ferndale Library 2222 Main St Ferndale	neatha_robinson@msn.com
AG7T	Salvation Army HQ 720 S Tobin St Renton	ag7t@arrl.net
W7GD	Everett Activity Center 6400 36th Ave W	dwayne@whidbey.net
KK7M	Everett Housing Auth. Bldg 14th & Poplar	loren_kk7m@msn.com
KI7SS	Call for Date/Time/Location	
W7QGP	Call or e-mail for Date/Time/Location	w7qgp@aol.com

2007 PUBLIC SERVICE EVENTS

Date	Event Name	Location	Contact	Call	Phone	Email
Mar-31	Woodinville Parade	Woodinville	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Apr-14	Pierce County MS Walk	Tac Pt. Defiance Pk.	Judy	N7NII	253-370-3280	n7nii@msn.com
Apr 20-22	Oregon Trail Rally	Hillsboro, Oregon	Rich	KC7TXF	360-574-8593	maryo@pacifier.com
Apr-21	Daffodil Parade(s)	Tacoma-Puyallup-Sumner-Orting	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Apr-21	March of Dimes "Walk America"	Tac Pt. Defiance Pk.	Judy	N7NII	253-370-3280	n7nii@msn.com
Apr-28	Oak Harbor Parade	Oak Harbor	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
May-5	Husky Crew Races-8am	University of Washington	Dick	WA7NIW	425-828-9791	wa7niw@arrl.net
May-17	Leif Erikson Nordic Days Parade	Ballard	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
May 18-20	Olympus Rally	Shelton Area	Jeff			nwrallydad@yahoo.com
May-19	ADA Tour de Cure Ride	Redmond to Monroe	Dale	KC7VLM	206-367-4967	huskyfirstaid@yahoo.com
May-20	Capitol City Marathon	Olympia	Lee	KI7SS	360-866-0236	ki7ss@arrl.net
2-3 Jun	WA Special Olympics	Fort Lewis	Colleen	N7LEX	425-223-4558	ccurrid@msn.com
Jun-9	Sound to Narrows Foot Race	Tacoma	Judy	N7NII	253-370-3280	n7nii@msn.com
Jun-16	Strawberry Festival Parade	Marysville	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jun-16	Flying Wheels Bike Ride	Redmond to Monroe	Gene	W7AKA	425-226-4115	w7aka@comcast.net
Jun-16	Juneteenth Parade	Seattle	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jun 23-24	**CQ FIELD DAY**	**CQ FIELD DAY**				
Jun-23	Tour De Pierce	Puyallup	Judy	N7NII	253-370-3280	n7nii@msn.com
Jul-4	Fourth of July Kids Parade	Issaquah	John	KA7TTY	425-392-7623	johntty@hotmail.com
Jul-7	Wallingford Kiddies Parade	Seattle	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-7	Derby Days Parade	Redmond	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-7	Strawberry Festival Foot Race	Vashon Island	Judy	N7NII	253-370-3280	n7nii@msn.com
Jul-8	Virginia Mason-Seafair Marathon	Bellevue	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-14	Mercer Island Parade	Mercer Island	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-15	Cornucopia Days Parade	Kent	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-21	Kla Ha Ya Days Parade	Snohomish	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-21	Capitol Lakefair Festival Parade	Olympia	Lee	KI7SS	360-866-0236	ki7ss@arrl.net

Jul-21	Hi U Festival Parade	West Seattle	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-21	White Center Parade	South Seattle	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-21	Renton River Days	Renton	Kevin	N7GXZ	253-631-5687	n7gxz@blarg.net
Jul-22	International District Parade	Seattle	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-25	Greenwood Parade	Seattle	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-26	RAMROD	Enumclaw to Enumclaw	Fran	N7FWZ	425-226-4115	n7fwz@comcast.net
Jul-27	Tour De Terrace Parade	Mount Lake Terrace	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Jul-28	SEAFAIR Torchlight Parade	Seattle	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Aug-4	Pioneer Days Parade	Lake City	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Aug 4-5	Ray & Janice Rally Sprints	Montesano-Aberdeen	Jeff			nwrallydad@yahoo.com
Aug-11	Good Ol' Days Parade	Auburn	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Aug-18	Shoreline Parade	Shoreline	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Aug 4-10	RAW (Ride Around Washington)	Raymond to Walla Walla	Gene	W7AKA	425-226-4115	w7aka@comcast.net
Sep-8	Mukilteo Festival Parade	Mukilteo	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Sep 8-9	MS-150 Bike Ride	La Conner	Dale		206-367-4967	huskyfirstaid@yahoo.com
Sep-22	Autumn Leaf Festival Parade	Leavenworth	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Sep 28-30	Wild West Rally	Shelton Area	Jeff	KC7VLM		nwrallydad@yahoo.com
Oct-6	Salmon Days Parade	Issaquah	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Oct-7	Kitsap Color Classic Ride	Kingston-Paulsbo Area	Gene	W7AKA	425-226-4115	w7aka@comcast.net
Nov-10	Veterans Day Parade	Auburn	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Nov-25	Seattle Marathon	Seattle	Gene	W7AKA	425-226-4115	w7aka@comcast.net
Dec-3	Santa Parade	Auburn	Robin	KD7PPB	425-697-5682	kd7ppb@arrl.net
Dec-4	Special People's Holiday Cruise	Seattle	Dick	WA7NIW	425-828-9791	wa7niw@arrl.net
Dec-19	Santa Talks	Seattle	Tim	K7QMI	206-368-3970	tvschnee@eskimo.com
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Feb	Doo Wop	Montesano-Brooklyn Areas	Jeff			nwrallydad@yahoo.com
Feb	Chilly Hilly Bike Ride	Bainbridge Island	Gene	W7AKA	425-226-4115	w7aka@comcast.net

All information is believed to be correct as of press time. For up-to-date information please see the Mike & Key Website.

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CLUB	Where	Phone
ARA of Bremerton	Ponderay in West Bremerton	360-377-2918
Bearons	Boeing Everett Activities Center	425-266-5571
Boeing Employees ARS	Boeing Kent Recreation Center	Use email
Cascade Radio Club	Snohomish County PUD, Everett	425-670-9799
Chehalis Valley ARS	First Baptist Church in Chehalis	Use email
Clallam County ARC	Port Angeles Fire Station - 5th & Laurel	360-452-4672
Clallam County Ares/Races	Clallam County EOC, Courthouse, Port Angeles	360-452-4672
Federal Way ARC	FedWy Church of Christ Teen Ctr, 29904 Military Rd, S.	253-661-6673
Grays Harbor Radio Club	Hoquiam Library	360-533-6391
Island County ARC	Island County Annex Bldg. 1 NE. 6th St., Coupville	360-331-7844
Issaquah ARC	Issaquah Valley Senior Center	425-392-7623
Jefferson County ARC	Tri Area Center in Chimacum	360-385-3652
Maple Valley ARC	meeting varies check web site	
Mason County ARC	Alpine Way Retirement Apts, 900 Alpine Way, Shelton	
Mike & Key ARC	Renton Salvation Army	253-631-3756
MicroHAMS	Microsoft Conference Rm 2200, Bldg 44, Redmond	See website
Mount Baker ARC	Tillicum House, Pioneer Village, Ferndale	360-366-3288
North Kitsap ARC	Viking Park Clubhouse, Poulsbo	360-779-2964
North Mason ARES Club	Timberland Library, Belfair, Hwy 3	360-277-0579
NWAPRS	NW Auto Position Reporting Syst (Packet Club)	509-244-8484
NW S.O.A.R.	Federal Way - Diamon Jim's	See Website
Olympia ARS	Thurston Co. Courthouse #2	Use Email
Puget ARS	Bellevue Sr Ctr, 4063 148th Av NE, Bellevue	425-821-7025
Puget Sound Antique Radio Assn	Shoreline Historical Museum	425-228-9398
Puget Sound Repeater Group	Old Country Buffet, 16549 Aurora Ave. N., Shoreline	Use email
Radio Club of Tacoma	PC LibADMCtr, 112th St. E & Waller, Parkland	Use email
Radio Amateurs of Skagit County	Skagit Valley Hospital, San Juan Room	360-632-3770
SeaTac Repeater Group	Old Country Buffet, 4022 Factoria Sq. Mall, Factoria	Use Email
Skagit ARC	call for place and time of meeting	206-822-7604
Sky Valley ARC	Dutch Cup , E. Sultan	
Snohomish County Hams Club	Colby Campus (AKA General hospital in N. Everett)	425-335-5158
Stanwood-Camano ARC	Twin City Sportsman's Club, Stanwood	360-387-6123
Valley ARC	Mitzel's, 9626 So.Hill Park Pl. E., Puyallup	206-845-2998
W Washington ATV Society	Bellevue H.S., 10416 Kilmarnok St, Bellevue	360-794-4801
W Washington DX Club	Angelo's, 601 SW 153rd, Burien, WA 98166	

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Stephanie	W7EK	3rd Wed, 7:30pm	www.cascaderadioclub.org
see web		1st Wed 7:30pm	www.cvars.org
Chuck	N7BV	2nd Wed, 7pm	www.olyham.com/html/ccarc.html
Chuck	N7BV	1st Tue, 7pm	www.olyham.com/html/ccares.html
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John	KA7TTY	1st Wed, 7:30pm except July	www.qsl.net/w7bi/
John	KC7SUF	1st Tue, 7:30pm	www.olympus.net/community/jcarc/
		4th Sat, 10am	www.kc7key.org
		2nd Sat, 8:30am	www.wwa-district3-ares.org/mason_county/marc/
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Dave	K7GPS	Twice yearly gatherings	www.nwaprs.org
Kevin	K7RX	2nd Sat, 9am	www.nwsoar.org
OARS	NT7H	4th Wed, 7pm (except Dec)	www.olyham.org
Don	KC7MDA	3rd Thu, 7pm (exc. Jul, Aug, Dec)	www.qsl.net/k7par/
Jim		3rd Sun, 12noon (Dec-2nd Sun)	www.eskimo.com/~hhagen/psara/
Will	KD7WHQ	3rd Thur 6:30 pm	www.psrg.org
Randy	AD7FF	2nd/4th Wed, 7:30 pm	www.w7dk.org
Bob	WB7WOW	2nd Fri, 7:30 pm	rasconline.org
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Gary	WA7BBJ	4th Mon, 7 pm, no summer	www.qsl.net/w7twu/
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Emergency Preparedness Checklists

- ❑Water
- ❑Food
- ❑First aid supplies
- ❑Medications
- ❑Supplies (camping/cooking/etc)
- ❑Clothing and bedding
- ❑Special needs
- ❑Cash

Radio Preparations

- ❑ HTs checked for charged batteries and proper operation
- ❑ Spare batteries checked and available
- ❑ Antennas and cabling
- ❑ Speaker mike and/or headset
- ❑ Charger and/or power supply
- ❑ Scanner/general rurpose radio
- ❑ List of local frequencies and nets

When an Emergency Happens

- ❑ See to your safety and that of your family FIRST!
- ❑ See to the safety of your home and property

ONLY when your home and family are safe, THEN

- ❑ If you are part of an Emergency Team, check in for assignment
- ❑ If you are NOT on an Emergency Team, monitor the local repeaters for Emergency Nets and volunteer ONLY if volunteers are requested

Jump Kit

- ❑ Emergency identification
- ❑ Tool kit with spare parts, fuses, etc.
- ❑ Flashlight or hands-free headlight
- ❑ Notebook & pens/pencils
- ❑ Cash

Emergency Preparedness Websites

FEMA:	www.fema.gov
3Days3Ways:	www.3days3ways.org
ARRL:	www.arrl.org/FandES/field/pubservice.html www.arrl.org/FandES/field/emergency/
ARES:	www.arrl.org/FandES/field/pscm/sec1-ch1.html
RACES:	www.races.net/
ARRL WWA Section:	www.arrl.org/sections/?sect=WWA
Communications Academy:	www.commacademy.org/
World Radio Relay League:	www.wrrl.org
State of Washington:	www.wastateares.org
King County:	www.aresofkingcounty.org
Seattle:	www.seattle.gov/acs
Shoreline:	www.shorelineacs.org
Kirkland:	www.qsl.net/kares
North Bend:	www.northbendares.org
Pierce County:	piercecounty.tripod.com
District 1 (Sno/Skagit/Whatcom):	www.wwa-district1-ares.org
Snohomish Co. ARES:	www.qsl.net/w7ufi
Snohomish Co. RACES:	wa7dem.org/default.aspx
ESCA RACES (Sno-King cities):	www.esca1.com/races.htm
Whatcom Co. DEM:	www.co.whatcom.wa.us/dem/contact/staff.jsp
Kitsap Co. DEM:	homepages.donobi.net/kcacs/

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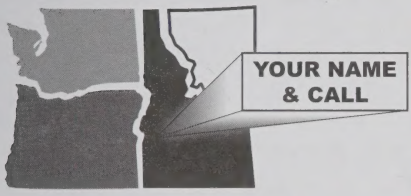

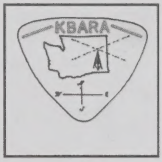

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73-Ham lingo for Best Regards.
APRS-Automated Positioning and Reporting System.
ARC/ARS-Amateur Radio Club/Society.
ARES-Amateur Radio Emergency Service.
ARRL-The American Radio Relay League. The Amateur's representative and promotional organization.
ATV-Amateur Television (fast scan) A method of exchanging moving pictures over radio waves.
Direction Finding (DF-ing)-A competitive ham radio activity in which ham radio operators track down a transmitted signal.
CW-Continuous Wave, another name for Morse code telegraphy.
DX-Distant contact or rare foreign country.
EME- Earth-Moon-Earth Communication (Moonbounce).
Elmer-An amateur who enjoys helping new hams get started on a one-to-one basis.
Field Day-A popular Amateur Radio activity during which hams set up radio stations outdoors and away from electrical service to simulate the aftermath of a disaster. Field Day takes place the fourth full weekend in June.
HF (High Frequencies)-Radio frequencies from 3 to 30 MHz.
MARS-Military Affiliate Radio System.
MFSK-an easy-to-use chat mode for real-time amateur contacts, nets and bulletin transmissions. It performs well on long-path fading conditions and in the presence of interference.
Net-An on-the-air meeting at a particular time, day, and radio frequency.
OSCAR-Orbiting Satellite Carrying Amateur Radio.
Packet Radio-A system of digital communications whereby information is broken into short bursts.
Public Service-Activities that Hams perform to benefit their communities.
PSK31-"Phase Shift Keying, 31 Baud" a form of modulation that offers a new and higher level of performance in conversational communications.
Q Signals-International abbreviations, such as "QRP", used mainly by CW operators to shorten communications.
QRP-Low power operation.
RACES-Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services.
Repeater-A two-way radio set that listens on one frequency, then re-transmits what it hears on another.
RTTY-Radio Teletype.
SSTV-Slow Scan TV. A method of exchanging still pictures over radio waves.
Traffic Net-An on the air meeting of amateurs for the purpose of relaying written messages.
Transceiver-A radio transmitter and receiver in one unit.
UHF (Ultra High Frequencies)-Radio frequencies from 300 to 3000 MHz.
VE (Volunteer Examiner)-An amateur who volunteers to conduct amateur radio examinations.
VHF (Very High Frequencies)-Radio frequencies from 30 to 300 MHz.

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Salvation Army Center
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